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United States Environmental Protection Agency Attn: Michelle Kerr, Remedial Project Manager Region 5 77 W. Jackson Blvd. Chicago, IL 60604-3590

Re: Chemetco Superfund

Dear Ms. Kerr:

This concerns correspondence from you and the Agency directed to my attention. The manner in which you are communicating makes it appear that I, personally, have potential responsibility on the matter. Based on the initial documentation that was received, the communication that is being sent concerns a former client, Hollywood Metals, for which I was listed as a registered agent. As a consequence from your office, the communication should, at best, be directed to me in my capacity as the registered agent for the company. This will avoid the possibility of your office or someone else pursuing me, personally, for potential responsibility for the superfund cleanup.

In order to insure your office makes the necessary correction, I request a letter verifying that any future communication that may be sent will reflect that it is being sent to me as registered agent.

Sincerely.

MICHAEL R. BASS

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